

NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 261

Introduced by Aguilar, 35

WHEREAS, the people of Nebraska are proud of the system of community colleges that exist in the state; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Dennis Tyson has, for the past 38 years, played an integral part in the success of Central Community College and in the ongoing development of the community college system within the State of Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Dennis Tyson has been instrumental in expanding learning opportunities to communities and individuals within the college service area and has facilitated numerous statewide initiatives that greatly enhanced the postsecondary education system in Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Dennis Tyson's leadership has greatly enhanced the positive image of postsecondary education in the state with his involvement in and leadership of projects such as the Nebraska Transfer Initiative, the Future Force Nebraska program, curriculum development programs in conjunction with the Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education, and chairing the Council of Chief Instructional Officers for the state; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Dennis Tyson will be retiring on January 16, 2006.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE

NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Legislature recognizes the many contributions of Dr. Dennis Tyson, a native Nebraskan, to enhance quality education in Nebraska in general and specifically the community colleges through his leadership at Central Community College from August 7, 1967, to January 16, 2006.

2. That a copy of this resolution be presented to Dr. Dennis Tyson and his family in recognition of his accomplishments and service.